

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date July 3, 2008

In re the Application of

Toru SHIRAISHI et al.

Application No.: 10/537,808

Filed: June 7, 2005

For: COMPOSITE MATERIAL MEMBER AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME



Group Art Unit: 1793

Examiner: K. KERNS

Docket No.: 124212

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired May 6, 2008, an extension of time for a period of 2 months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 207372 in the amount of \$340.00 in payment for:

<u> </u>	Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$120.00)
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

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